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MINOR MENTIONS.

—Have you seen that Fine Display of Easter Cards at Bushnell & Brackett's, 1001 Broadway?
—New lot of engravings, oil paintings and oleographs just received at Seaman's, 107 St.

—F. F. Fori guarantees the best \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 shirts made in the west. Bluff and Willow streets.
—The poll tax will be ready for collection by to-morrow.

—N. E. Tyson has applied for the chance to collect the poll tax.

—Rev. G. S. Graham preached at the United Brethren church last evening.

—Duprez & Benedict's minstrels gave an entertainment last evening in this city.

—Last evening the Baptists held an enjoyable social at the residence of J. P. Filbert.

—A sleight of hand and gift show promises to occupy Bloom & Nixon's hall several evenings next week.

—The fire committee has recommended to the council to sell the old hand fire engine as being too expensive and of too little benefit.

—The city marshal has been instructed by the council to file information within three days against all saloon keepers who have not paid their license.

—There seems to be some doling about the 11 o'clock ordinance. Some of the city officials claim that in the eyes of the law it is 11 o'clock until it is 12. Too gaudy.

—To-morrow night is the time set for the musical convention's concert, in which a number of this city's vocalists are to participate under the supervision of Miss Mitchell, of Chicago.

—John Pierson's case was again before the superior court yesterday. A change of venue was taken to Justice Frayne's, and a continuance secured until to-day. Thus the wheels move slowly.

—In the United States court the case of Holloway vs. the C. & Q. railway was submitted, and the jury was still out at the adjournment of court. The case of McCleary & Co., of St. Louis, vs. Wycoff, was next on trial, it being a case of grain dealing.

—Justice Abbott has added two more couples to his marriage record, they being George Jacobs and Miss Carrie Allen, and Chris Wheeler and Miss M. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler have started for the west, expecting to make their home in Colorado.

—The new ordinance by which Mayor Bowman's right to appoint park policemen is taken away has been officially published, but strange enough the mayor's name does not appear as attesting it, the name of E. E. Shugart, chairman pro tem, being in its place. How so?

—The county board have expressed their readiness to put \$2,500 into a bridge at Union avenue as soon as the right of way is secured and their approaches completed, and also ready to act in regard to the Vaughan avenue bridge so soon as certain changes in the road are completed.

—The Methodist church is greatly improved now in its interior appearance. The audience room has been so changed that the regular worshippers there will hardly recognize it when they meet there next Sunday. The walls have been repapered, wood work repainted and revarnished, and all the appointments of the place given a new look. The lecture room and parlors below have also undergone a like change, making the whole have a very attractive appearance.

—D. B. Morse, who has been looking about the city with a view of starting a commercial school and training college here, has decided to engage in the enterprise and secured rooms on the second floor of No. 331 Broadway, where he can be found ready to receive applications or give needed information. He expects to open the school Monday morning next, and all who desire to secure such practical knowledge as is thus proffered should not delay in improving the opportunity.

—Mrs. Size, a poor woman whose husband recently deserted her, leaving her in destitute circumstances, complained yesterday afternoon that the owner of the house she is occupying, Mr. Knabe, threatened her with violence if she did not at once leave, her rent being behind when her husband left, and she not having had a chance to turn herself in view of her misfortunes. Judge Aylesworth was not in court at the time, and hence her wish for a warrant could not be granted, and she had to content herself with leaving her complaint with the chief of police.

—The charge is made that the city council by doing away with the park policemen, and thus knocking endways Mayor Bowman's appointment of Charles Warner, a colored man, have gone back on the colored voters, and prevented Mayor Bowman from recognizing them. The mayor had the appointing power of the policemen on the regular force, and if he wanted to make good any promise made the colored folk to appoint one of their number as a policeman, he had a chance to put one on the regular force. It appears he preferred to appoint Guarilla, by which a slight breach in the fire department was healed.

—Considerable interest is felt in the proposed changing of the locations of the Bluff City steamer and Phoenix hook and ladder truck. It is proposed to have them change places, on the plea that the hook and ladder truck being the only apparatus drawn by hand, should be nearer the center of the city and the eastern part of the city can be better protected by having the steamer placed where the hook and ladder truck now stands. The chief objection raised to the change is that the hook and ladder building will need to be repaired before it will be fit for the reception of a steamer, but to offset this it is claimed that the building will have to be repaired

anyway, as the rain comes through the roof as through a sieve. The council will not act upon the matter until its regular meeting in May.

—A number from this city are in attendance at the Sunday school convention being held in Neola. The following are the delegates: Congregational church: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Walker, Mr. H. M. Stevens, Mr. W. S. Homer, Macedonia Mission Sunday school: Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Judd, Mr. C. C. Fitch, Mrs. H. A. Montgomery, Mrs. Mary Reese, Methodist church: Mrs. Dr. Osborne, Mrs. J. H. Arthur, Mrs. L. W. Talley, Mrs. F. H. Orcutt, Baptist church: Rev. J. G. Lomen, Presbyterian church: Mr. W. B. Mayne, Miss Ella Williams. At large: Dr. P. J. Montgomery, Capt. D. B. Clark. The session closes this evening.

—A sad case of family trouble and wife beating is reported from the extreme southern portion of the city. It appears that John Rodebeck, a well digger by trade, went home on Wednesday night badly boozed, and when his wife upbraided him for spending five or six dollars in drink, when his family needed it, he pounced upon her and so beat her as to cause her to run out of the house. She plodded about in the rain, mud and darkness with her little babe, only a month old, in her arms, and finally sought shelter in the Walash depot, where she remained until daylight. Her husband having recovered from his ugly spree, went out in the country to work yesterday, and the poor woman returned to her home.

PERSONAL.

Judge James G. Day, of Sidney, was among the guests at the Ogden yesterday. J. P. Connor, Esq., of Dennison, Iowa, was in the city yesterday, booked at the Ogden.

Mr. Cornish, a wealthy and well known citizen of Hamburg, is planning to engage in banking at Omaha.

The law firm of Stow & Hammond, of Hamburg, are about removing to Omaha, where they will continue in their profession.

Justice Abbott expects to start to-morrow for a brief visit to his old home in Cleveland, Ohio, where he lived for many years, and where he will receive a hearty welcome from relatives and many friends.

THE HUM OF INDUSTRY.

How it is Apparent at the Council Bluffs Iron Works.

One of the busiest and noisiest places in the city which the representative of THE BEE dropped into yesterday was the Council Bluffs iron works. Here he found sparks whirling, hammers beating, sparks flying, and evidence on every hand of a little world of mechanical wonders, teeming with industry. One of the first items which the reporter stumbled upon was that an engine and machinery was being made there for the new furniture factory, soon to be added to the city's industries. Another item was also gleaned, which will prove of special interest to the citizens at large, it being that the water works company had just made a contract for the Council Bluffs iron works to arrange for a siphon reservoir and to do various other work in its line, which proves a happy assurance that the waterworks are to be pushed forward to a speedy completion. In various parts of the shops were to be seen in different stages of completion other work, engine, mining machinery, etc. Mr. Charles Hendrie, the president and manager, very courteously guided the investigator through the several departments and explained the workings of various machinery. Among the interesting articles pointed out was a lathe, the first that ever crossed the Mississippi into the state of Iowa.

The works employ from fifty to sixty men, and the machinery is such as to enable them to turn out almost everything expected in that line. In mining machinery there is a rush, and at saw mills, smelting furnaces, hoisters, etc., are being sent forth to all parts of the west, and the demand is increasing so that the works cannot keep up with the orders. They also do a large repair business. There are many of our citizens who little realize what a busy place there is thus settled in their midst, and a walk through the extensive shops would open their eyes as to the possibilities and achievements of Council Bluffs enterprise.

It is understood that plans are being made for a still further enlargement of the works, and an increase in the capital and facilities, the success of which will further success awaits them. In mining machinery, particularly, the works have shown their ability to compete with the largest and the best, and there is no reason why they could not be still further increased to advantage. As at present, the works are justly an object of pride to all interested in the city's growth and prosperity, and all should rejoice in its outlook for still further success.

Whisky or Beer.

The central committee of the Iowa Liberal league will meet in Des Moines April 12. Benjamin F. Butler, of Massachusetts, now engaged in the bar wire cases at Des Moines, has been employed by the wholesale liquor dealers and saloon-keepers, to bribe their interests in the "amendment campaign."

The brewers' association of Iowa have secured the services of Hon. Carl Schurz, of New York, to present the "beer" aspect of the question in twelve speeches. Henry Ward Beecher has consented to present the Bible argument of the temperance question in five public addresses. The soda water and "pop" temperance agitation have antagonized the whole movement by employing Col. Robt. Ingersoll to give eight lectures to convict Mr. Beecher's Biblical mistakes.

Mr. S. R. Smith, a journalist who took part in the fight against prohibition, will accompany the party to keep them straight.

S. R. SMITH,
Secretary Liberal League.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

The Mysterious Woman Proves to Be "Long Eliza," and No Murder About It.

The mystery which has shrouded the strange sounds in the ravine and the supposed murder of a woman, is now solved. The police having been kept in a state of suspense for several days, and having hunted in vain for the ghastly, bloody form of a woman hid in the woods, can now rest easy.

The pistol shots, the cries of murder, the evidence of a struggle, the finding of a gentleman's seal ring, some silver coin and a broken bottle, no longer point to murder. The facts are two men in a buggy came on the evening in question to one of the dug-outs in the easterly part of the city, and got a woman known as "Long Eliza" to take a ride with them. The trio were all on a pretty big drunk and they were the ones who were seen driving up into the ravine. They got into a row, while in the buggy, and the horse taking a dash to one side of the road, overturned the buggy, spilled the whole crowd out, and it was this "hurray" which gave rise to the whole sensation. The woman was not killed, nor is she missing. She bears upon her face some of the marks of a serious nature. Neither of the men concerned seem disposed to apply for the ring or money found, preferring to keep their identity hidden rather than have their names made public in connection with such a disgraceful row. The bottle smashed was one which had contained a little of the ardent which served as the inspiration for the midnight muse.

It appears that Eliza has had a young man as a sort of a temporary partner in life, and said young man objected to her frequenting the dug out, and determined she shall not go there. This was the cause of the whole row, a portion of it having been had near the dug out before the trio started on their ride, and the termination of which formed the basis of the sensation which so stirred the police force, and excited the neighbors in the vicinity of the affair.

TAKING A TICKER.

The Cool Robbery of a Hotel Man—A Fight in the Calaboose.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Sanders, the proprietor of the Burlington house, was relieved of his gold watch in a decidedly bold manner. While sitting at his hotel talking with others, he pulled out the watch to see what time it was. A young man named John Roderick asked him if he wanted to sell it, and in the course of talk asked to look at it. The ticker was handed to him, and he in turn handed it to another named Robert Thompson, who proceeded to run off with it. Mr. Sanders reported the affair to the police and chief Field and Officer Morse soon had the two men in custody. When the officers arrested Thompson they found him in company with a young man named Harvey, whom they arrested also, as Harvey had been concerned in a like taking of a watch from a drunken man last spring. The watch was not recovered.

After the three had been locked up in the calaboose, Officer Brooks brought in a man named John Henry, who was so drunk that he had to be brought in an express wagon. John Henry was no sooner shoved into the calaboose than Harvey pitched onto him for a fight, and struck him two or three blows, causing the blood to flow from his mouth. John Henry speedily sobered up and got sweet revenge. He turned about and pounded Harvey until the latter squealed and took to the cot. When the officers entered the room, Harvey was taking a continuation of the pounding, while John Henry was declaring that he had served in the army too long to stand abuse from a dirty

WINNIE'S WOE.

A Woman's Strange Fancy—Imaginative Robbers and Murderers.

Creston Advertiser, April 2.
There arrived in this city last night a woman about fifty years of age, whose imagination, it seems, has been playing her some sorry pranks. She went from the train to the Revere House and registered as Winnie McCale, giving her home as Pennylvannia, where she was going to visit friends, but was afraid to continue her journey, she said, because there was a band of robbers following her and she knew they would murder her. Her strange actions and talk showed plainly she was demented and every attention was given her by Lazarus Yancy. He was compelled to lock her in a room finally, so violent did she become, and all night kept expressing her fears of being robbed and murdered. This morning she was turned over to Father Phelan, who telegraphed to Omaha to find out something of her friends, whose name the woman said was Farrell. As soon as word is received from them she will be sent forward on her journey. She has money, is well clothed, and evidently in comfortable circumstances, and it is difficult to account for her strange hallucination.

Missouri Getting Back at the Ford.

National Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, April 6.—Captain J. C. Morris, constable of Richmond township, arrived in this city last night, and reports the body of Wood Hite, the train robber killed last December, was found a few days ago buried in an old spring near the house occupied at the time by the Ford brothers, one of whom killed Jesse James. Testimony brought out at the inquest which was held at Richmond developed the fact that Dick Little reached Ford's house early one morning, found Hite and Bob Ford together, and a quarrel immediately began. Hite was shot through the head and arm. Ford and Little carried the body away and burned it. The inquest will be continued to-day, and Capt. Morris expects that Bob Ford and Dick Little will be arrested on the charge of murder.

BLANCHARD BRIEFLY.

A Sensation and a Scandal—Temperance Talk and Other Things.

Correspondence of THE BEE.

BLANCHARD, Ia., April 5.—When THE BEE came yesterday bringing the first news of the killing of Jessie James it was the main topic of talk on the streets. Many are disposed to regard the story as only sensational, as it is thought impossible that the noted desperado would be found a resident of St. Joe. We are waiting anxiously the arrival of THE BEE to-day.

A Clarinda mother sent a seventeen-year-old daughter down here a few weeks ago to live with an uncle, and a short time afterward she gave birth to a child. The uncle feels deeply aggrieved, but the girl's mother proposes not to know anything of it. The unfortunate girl and child will be taken home this week. As the parties are respectably connected we withhold the names.

Cal Shultz, our enterprising miller, has opened a flour and feed store on Main street. Our people use Minnesota flour at \$5 a hundred, and Brandyville flour at \$4. Although our home flour is just as good and costs only \$3.75, but people are naturally disposed to patronize outside rather than home institutions.

Rev. R. M. Sherrard and T. G. Crooks are attending the United Presbyterian presbytery at Red Oak this week. That presbytery numbers nineteen ministers and twenty congregations. The distinguishing features of that body is that they use only the inspired psalms in divine worship, and are opposed to all secret societies.

The temperance people of our township have organized an association, electing O. J. Colton president; J. Vinacke, vice president; R. Johnson, secretary, and R. J. Sharp, treasurer. Meetings are held every Thursday evening at the church, and it is designed to vigorously agitate the great issue which is to come before the people on the 27th of next June. It is proposed that every school district, hamlet and township be thoroughly aroused and organized. The rum traffic may well dread the light, but this cause of God and humanity will be proclaimed on the house tops and discussed throughout the state.

Improvements are going on extensively here. Many new residences are going up, and several new stores have started.

Rufus Johnston, editor of THE RECORD, went up to Council Bluffs yesterday on business. He has laid in a large stock of new type, and having been formerly in the book publishing business, he is prepared to do the finest work in printing.

Atchison county, over the line, has passed through a hard court house fight. Rockport, the present county seat, called two elections for the purpose of voting bonds to build a \$40,000 court house at Rockport, but lost it both times.

A strong influence is being used to take the county seat to Tarkio, which is on the railroad and near the center of the county. That town, aided by other parts of the county, has begun the erection of a \$40,000 court house, to be presented to the county at the fall election.

Knox.

FRESH LOT OF MULES.

Mace Wise has just received 50 head of fine mules, which he offers for sale at low prices. Call and see them at MACE WISE'S BARN, Scott street, near Broadway, Council Bluffs.

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COUNCIL BLUFFS SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Special advertisements, 111 Lost, Found, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the low rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first insertion and FIVE CENTS PER LINE for each subsequent insertion. Leave advertisements at our office, No. 7 Pearl Street, near Broadway.

FOR SALE.—By Major Vaughan offers the "two stories" and two eight room residence" adjoining Bohay's opera house and opposite the city market, for sale or trade at a bargain. The four buildings are well adapted for a large boarding establishment, hotel, hospital, etc. apl-17

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WANTED.—Two experienced salesmen to sell "shirts a d gent's furnishing goods in Nebraska and Iowa. References required. Good salary to good men. F. F. Foss. apl-17

WANTED.—Active, intelligent Solicitors for the Mutual Benefit Association of Council Bluffs for towns and counties in Iowa. Apply personally or by letter to the Secretary. a6-2w

WANTED.—A widow lady with four children wants to keep house on a farm. For particulars inquire at this office.

FOR RENT.—One or two unfurnished rooms, with or without board. Convenient to cars. No. 2 W. H. Fradbury, Fourth avenue, second west door east Seventeenth street. apl-17

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ANYONE WANTING seed fine quality brown corn seed can get it by writing to: P. F. MAYNE, Council Bluffs. apl-17

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WANTED.—To rent—A ten room house in some good neighborhood or two smaller house side by side. Address F. O. Box 797, Council Bluffs, or apply at Bee office, Council Bluffs. 46-17

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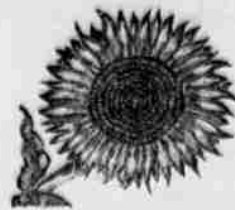
WANTED.—To buy 100 tons broom corn. For particulars address Council Bluffs Broom Factory, Council Bluffs, Iowa. 658-2941

FOR SALE.—Old papers 25¢ per hundred, at Bee office, Council Bluffs. 567-17

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